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Snowpacks in this region are much below normal at 40% of average, about 16% of last year. Individual sites range from 19% to 53% of average. Precipitation was below normal during December at 77% of average, bringing the seasonal accumulation (Oct-Dec) to 71% of normal. Soil moisture estimates in runoff producing areas are at 27% of saturation in the upper 2 feet of soil compared to 70% last year. Forecast streamflows range from 44% to 58% of average. Reservoir storage is at 86% of capacity, 27% more than last year. The Surface Water Supply Index is at 52%, indicating near normal water availability.



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1-Jan

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1-Mar

Current

Maximum

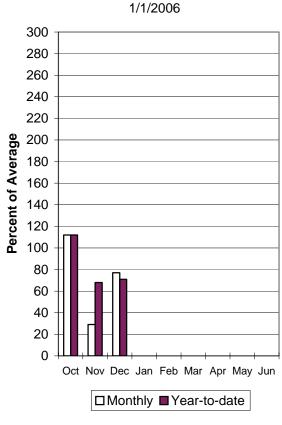
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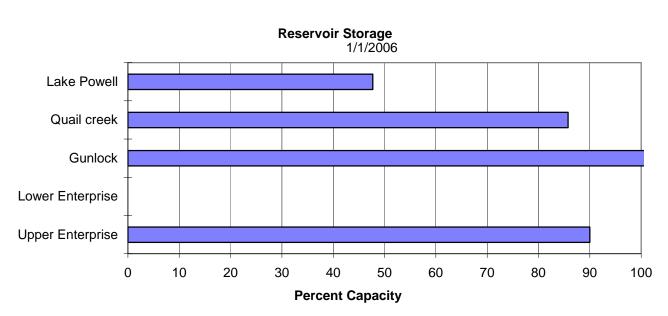
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Streamflow Forecasts - January 1, 2006									
					Conditions ==:				
Forecast Point	Forecast Period	90% (1000AF)	70% (1000AF)	 (1000AF	Exceeding * = 50%	30% (1000AF)	10% (1000AF)	30-Yr Avg. (1000AF)	
Lake Powell Inflow (2)	APR-JUL	4900	7040	8500	107	9960	12100	7930	
Virgin River at Virgin	Apr-Jul	15.4	18.9	31	48	46	74	64	
Virgin River near Hurricane	APR-JUL	11.0	17.3	30	44	51	91	69	
Santa Clara River nr Pine Valley	APR-JUL	0.9	1.8	3.2	58	5.1	8.6	5.5	
Coal Creek nr Cedar City	APR-JUL	4.6	8.8	12.5	65	16.8	24	19.3	
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Reservoir	Usable Capacity	*** Usable Storage *** This Last Year Year Avg		** Wat /g	ershed	Number Th. ned of ==: Data Sites La		is Year as % of ====== st Yr Average	
GUNLOCK	10.4	10.8		!	GIN RIVER	 5	16	43	
LAKE POWELL	24322.0			İ	OWAN	2	16	4 3 55	
QUAIL CREEK	40.0	34.3	25.6 2	3.9 ENT	ERPRISE TO NEW	HARMONY 2	25	37	
UPPER ENTERPRISE	10.0	9.0	5.0	COA	L CREEK	2	17	50	
LOWER ENTERPRISE	2.6	0.0	2.0 2	.7 ESC	ALANTE RIVER	2	16	35	
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^{* 90%, 70%, 50%, 30%,} and 10% chances of exceeding are the probabilities that the actual volume will exceed the volumes in the table.

The average is computed for the 1971-2000 base period.

The values listed under the 10% and 90% Chance of Exceeding are actually 5% and 95% exceedance levels.
 The value is natural volume - actual volume may be affected by upstream water management.